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THE FUNERAL CEREMONIES OF DEAD CHIEF OF POLICE

CITY BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSE, LARGE ASSEMBLAGE ATTEND GEORGE CULVER'S FUNERAL AND BURIAL.

REV. WILSON'S POWERFUL SERMON

Sermon Laudatory, No Criticisms, but Conservative—Funeral Under Auspices of Odd Fellows.

The services of the funeral of Geo. W. Culver, the dead chief of Police, was held at the Christian church beginning at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the Odd Fellows. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor of the First Methodist church, South, delivered the funeral address. It was intended to conduct the funeral at the city hall, but there being an inadequate number of chairs on account of their use at the revival and the attendance being so large, the corpse was conveyed to the Christian church. There was an over-flowing attendance at the church and a large number of people remained at the city hall waiting the conclusion of the funeral services.

Rev. Wilson held his audience intensely interested during his funeral discourse.

There were no evasions of references to the career of the dead chief of police and there were no criticisms. He dwelt on the disadvantage of the enforced environment of the chief of police in the pursuance of his duties, and most convincingly portrayed the extreme hardships with which Mr. Culver had been met during the tenure of his office and how unavoidable was much of his association, that under ordinary environment might be subject to criticism.

The Rev. Wilson reached many eloquent periods during his sermon and the effect on the audience appeared to be powerful. What even influences were responsible for the growth of that mental abandonment of George Culver which led him to self destruction were severely arraigned and with much stress and felling there was delivered the severest exhortation of those men, who might "reputedly be good members of society, but who had imposed on the good heart and liberal nature of George Culver in a manner that must have resulted

in much of his unhappiness. Rev. Wilson dwelt on the admirableness of physical courage, how essentially it was component with good principle and the knowledge of the undoubted possession of it by George Culver. "He was absolutely physically brave." He referred to a time in the existence of the affairs of the city when the deceased had, as a young and inexperienced officer, fought crime without the co-operation of older and more experienced officers.

The sermon was laudatory of the dead chief of police, but with conservative.

Interspersed with references to the deceased were intelligent and effective discussions of the great need of all men for spiritual guidance, the urgency, if the path of danger and destruction be avoided, of trust in Jesus Christ and executions of his teachings.

The Rev. A. L. Carter, distinguished revivalist singer sang a very impressive solo and conducted the singing ceremonies.

A large procession accompanied the remains to Rosedale for interment.

The business houses of the city closed during the time of the funeral and burial.

There is pronounced sorrow throughout the town and the feeling appears to be that the dead past shall bury its dead as far as any frailties of George Culver are concerned and that there shall be preserved the remembrances of his many admirable qualities.

Mrs. George Culver has the entire sympathy of the community.

CLOSED FOR THE FUNERAL.

We, the undersigned business men, do hereby agree to close our places of business from 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock p.m. of this day while the funeral of our late Chief of Police George Culver is being conducted:

S. T. Williams, Hubers' Grocery, E. E. Fowler, A. D. Coon, F. Z. Holley, O. K. Market, Ada Natl. Bank, M. & P. Bank, B. J. Corn, Ada Adw. Co., N. Worthington, C. Ogee, W. O. Neely, Peterson & Mooney, W. C. Rollow, Patteson & Elliston, E. J. Rodgen, E. P. Meigs, J. H. Neel, D. H. Gyser, R. G. Knott, Grand Leader, M. Walsh, S. E. Chapman, W. C. Lee, Evans & Coffman, Guest Bros., Ross Tipton, Ada Drug Co., L. J. Crowder, C. R. Drummond, C. J. Warren, Mad-Ox Drug Co., First Natl. Bank, I. Harris, J. M. Stanfield, G. M. Ramsey, Ada Elec. & Gas Co., Sprague Bros., Farmers State Bank, Geo. Stomum, Shaw's Nickel Store, Surprise Store, L. T. Walters, S. I. Tobias, L. J. Little, T. O. Collins, Gwin & Mays Co., Westcott Merc. Co., J. J. Dodds, W. L. Johnston, Evans & Dennis, G. W. High, R. E. Haynes, Oklahoma State Bank, W. J. Reed, R. F. Smith, J. T. Reed, Ada Planing Co., Joe Kemp, M. Levin, D. A. Dorsey, W. S. James, Joe Foster, M. Roberts.

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FIRE SWEEPS PORTLAND, OREGON

MOST DESTRUCTIVE FIRE OF THE WEST SINCE THE BURNING OF SAN FRANCISCO.

200 Horses Burned, Seven Lives Lost and Seven Blocks Burned—Fire Started in Exposition Building.

Portland, Ore., July 14.—Bodies of six more fire victims have been recovered. The bodies were found in the remains of a garage which was destroyed. An explosion is supposed to have caused the death of the men.

Portland, Ore., July 14.—The most disastrous fire that has visited the west since the destruction of San Francisco broke out in Portland Thursday.

One is known to be dead, one will die, and three men are missing. The property loss is estimated to be over a quarter of a million dollars.

For hours the whole city of Portland was in danger and it was only by the heroic work of the local fire department and those of surrounding cities that were rushed here, that the whole of the West side was not burned.

The horror of the wreck equals any sea disaster that has ever occurred on water. Within fifteen minutes after the collision there was no trace of the Lovki except a piece of charred debris as it rose on the crest of a wave and a few floating bodies of the victims.

Crash in a Fog.

The crash occurred early in the morning when all passengers were asleep. The fog was heavy and except a few watchmen the majority of the steamer's crew were also in their bunks.

The bump was of such force that it threw many from their bunks, injuring them seriously. Men, women and children frantically rushed to the deck of the ship and the sight of the tangled, blazing debris caused a panic that the ship's crew were powerless to stop.

A few moments after the crash the boilers of the disabled vessel exploded and many of the victims were scalded to death. As men and women rushed from place to place to place their clothes burned from their bodies and the smell of the burning flesh mingled with the groans of the dying, men fought like madmen crushing women and children as they attempted to gain a part of the ship where the flames had not yet reached.

A young man, whose name is unknown, was taken from the exposition building by firemen and rushed to the hospital. He was terribly burned and it is feared he will not live through the day.

Fanned by the high wind, which at 4:30 had increased to a gale, the fire and thick bank of smoke jumped the street from the exposition building and wrapped half a dozen apartment houses in flames.

All of the occupants of the apartments escaped. The suddenness of the fire, however, prevented them from saving any of their possessions.

Athletic Club Burns.

To the south of the exposition building the Multnomah Athletic club, one of the largest and most completely furnished of any in the west, burned to the ground without any attempt whatever being made to save it. The fire companies were busy working before the gale of smoke and fire in an attempt to check its headway.

Despairing of stopping the devastation after seven whole blocks had burned and the blaze was rapidly nearing the Studebaker Automobile company, the fire fighters resorted to dynamite. After a block of buildings in the path of the blaze were razed to the ground the fire was gotten under control.

Seven Blocks Burn.

In all seven city blocks in an area of about ten acres were burned in what the chief of the fire department declares was the shortest time that he ever knew of a fire of such immense proportions.

During the progress of the fire all telegraph and telephone wires in West Portland were down and all communication with that side of the river was cut off.

Home Burned.

The home of I. Hodge near Knox at the O. C. switch was burned last night. No particulars have been learned only that W. B. Adair has gone out there with blood hounds. It is supposed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

HUNDRED AND SIXTY PERISH LIKE RATS

HORROR OF WRECK AT SEA EQUALS ANY SEA DISASTER THAT HAS EVER OCCURRED.

Men Fight Like Madden Brutes—Women and Children Are Crushed While They Knelt in Prayer.

Odessa, July 14.—With men fighting like maddened brutes, women and children crushed to death as they knelt in prayer, one hundred and sixty persons perished like rats in a trap in the steamer Lovki when it sank in the Black sea, while a mass of flames after it crashed into the steamer Wampa in the fog of early Thursday morning.

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Mothers in their frantic efforts to save their children threw them overboard from the burning ship only to see them drown.

Before the steamer Wampa, which was also disabled by the collision, could man their lifeboats the Lovki had foundered. Less than a score of those on the ship were saved.

Many of the dead are reported to be Jewish fugitives from Russia, who were on their way to America.

An Expression.

The office and mechanical rooms of the News suspended business during the time of the funeral services and passing of the funeral cortège of George Culver, deceased. Mr. Culver was chief of police of the city of Ada and a friend of its daily press and all the force of the News mourns his departure.

TRADE MARK REGISTRED

Earning 4 per cent is more than most bonds bear, and under the Oklahoma Guaranty Law your deposits are just as safe, and you have your money ready for use at any time. Get a savings check.

A MODERN BLUE-BEARD MYSTERY

WORLD WIDE HUNT STARTS FOR DR. CRIPPIN, AN AMERICAN.

London Cellar Yields Up Decomposed Body of Belle Elmore, a Beautiful Music Hall Character.

London, July 14.—Scotland Yard, most famous aggregation of sleuths in Christendom, has a real live murder mystery to work on, and its minions are on the trail of a modern Bluebeard.

The enigma is deeper than the Charlton case and is the result of the discovery of the body of a woman in the basement of the home of Dr. Hawley Crippen, American dentist in North London.

Although it was the first belief that the remains were those of Belle Elmore, beautiful American singer, wife of the dentist, fresh testimony from neighbors led to the belief that another woman was the victim of what the police say is a most daring murder.

The police world today took up the case of the dentist who disappeared June 9. The mystery has been added to by the introduction of a third figure, Ethel Leneve, pretty typist. She is thought to be with Crippin and the belief is entertained that Crippin's relations with various women will reveal a career as startling as that of "Bluebeard."

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The Scotland Yard officials Thursday cabled a request to the American police to search incoming steamers for Crippin.

The case is strikingly similar to that of the Charlton murder at Lake Como, Italy. Both women were actresses who left American homes to meet death by violence in foreign lands and in each instance the police pursued the American husband to the shores of his native land.

Dr. Crippin, dentist aged 50 years, made his home for some time in North London. Some time ago his wife, Belle Elmore, a vaudeville artist and treasurer of the Music Hall Artists' Guild, disappeared.

Subsequently a notice of her death appeared in the local papers. The fact of the demise was more or less w-t-f.

gossip and this finally reached the ears of the police. The officers visited Crippin and the interview appeared satisfactory.

Crippin Disappears.

Saturday noon last Crippin disappeared and since the police have not been able to locate him. Wednesday a search of the Crippin house was made and the battered body of a woman was found buried in the cellar.

It had been placed in quicklime and was burned beyond recognition. However, the finding of the body, together with other discoveries Thursday left no doubt in the minds of the authorities that the murdered woman was Mrs. Crippin.

The police believe that Crippin sailed Saturday for the United States and state he was accompanied by Ethel Leneve, a French woman, whom he recently introduced as his wife. This woman is believed to be dressed in male attire.

A MOUNTAIN

COVERED WITH FLAMES

Whitefish Mountain Threatened With Forest Fires Which Are Licking Up Everything in Its Path.

Great Falls, Mont., July 14.—A special to the Tribune from Whitefish says that town is in the center of a fierce fire sweeping the mountainside, licking up logging and tie camps and threatening the town itself.

The fire started on the west side of Lion mountain and, fanned by a wind from the southwest, it burst over the summit about 1 o'clock Wednesday and came raging down the other side. Huge billows of flames and smoke were swept from this height out across the lake. The smoke is so thick that it is difficult to breathe and the sun is obscured.

On the mountainside there were a number of logging and tie camps and several of these already have been destroyed, the occupants fleeing for their lives. So far as known there has been no loss of life.

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The following are the names of candidates for public office subject to the action of the Democratic primaries occurring August 2nd.

The Democratic public is assured that the names appearing below represent Democrats, who are regardful of the proper support of the Democratic press and respectful toward the wishes of the people who desire to become well acquainted with the name and reputation of the man for whom they vote.

For Governor:

LEE CRUCE
LESLIE P. ROSS
BRANT KIRK

For Attorney General:
CLINT GRAHAM

For Judge Criminal Court of Appeals:
HENRY M. FURMAN

Clerk Supreme Court:
W. H. L. (Swamp) CAMPBELL

For State Corporation Commissioner:
GEO. A. HENSHAW

For District Judge 7th District, Two Elect:
TOM D. MCKEEOWN
A. T. WEST
ROBT. M. RAINY

For State Senator 23rd District:
REUBEN M. RODDIE

For Representative:
JOHN P. CRAWFORD
W. H. NETTLES

For Mine Inspector District No. 1:
JOHN O'BRIEN

For Secretary of State:
BEN F. HARRISON
LEO MYER

For State Insurance Commissioner:
W. M. BROWN
MILAS LASATER

For County Judge:
CONWAY O. BARTON
A. M. CROXTON
EDGAR S. RATLIFF
J. E. GRIGSBY
S. R. TOLBERT

For Sheriff:
SAM MCCLURE
GEO. THOMPSON
LEM MITCHELL
ANDY H. CHAPMAN
J. C. FARMER

For County Clerk:
W. S. KERR
M. F. DEW

For District Clerk:
W. T. COX
L. C. LINDSEY

For County Treasurer:
J. K. SOROGGINS
J. W. WESTBROOK
R. H. (Rit) ERWIN

For County Attorney:
ROBT. L. WIMBISH
ROBT. C. ROLAND

For Register of Deeds:
WILMER B. JONES
CROCKET C. HARGIS

For Superintendent Public Schools:
PROF. T. F. PIERCE

For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL

For County Commissioner West Dist.:
CHAS. W. FLOYD

Candidate for Flitorial Representative Pontotoc and Seminole Counties:
J. L. BARHAM
T. L. PRUITT

Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct:
HENRY J. BROWN

For Constable, Ada Precinct:
E. L. BUNCH

For (Trustee) Tax Assessor Chickasaw Township:
J. R. FLOYD
T. V. B. MULLINAX

For (Trustee) Tax Collector, Midland Township:
W. J. BERRY

For Trustee Midland Township:
W. J. WALKER
W. J. BERRY

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TARIFFS ON RAILROADS ARE SUSPENDED

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION IS TAKING VACATION.

In Twelve Months Ending July 1 the

Body Disposed of Enormous

Business.

Washington, July 14.—After making public its decisions in three highly important cases, the Interstate Commerce commission today practically wound up its work for the busiest twelve month period of its existence, and the commissioners left Washington for duty in the field or for their annual vacations.

Investigate Reasonableness.

Far and away the most momentous of the decisions formally announced by the commission today was that at its meeting yesterday it had decided to suspend all railroad tariffs naming general and important advances in rates, pending investigations into the reasonableness of the proposed advances.

This action was taken under authority of the act amending the Interstate commerce law which was passed after such a memorable struggle during the recent session of congress.

Under this provision of the new act the commission is empowered to suspend proposed increases of

rates for a period of four months for the purpose of investigating the reasonableness of the proposed advances.

But if the commission finds at the end of the four-month period that it has not been possible to complete its investigation it may further suspend the proposed increases, but not for a longer time than ten months in all.

Busiest Year in History.

Through the twelve months ending with July 1 the commission disposed of more cases than in any previous twelve months of its existence.

Some of these cases were of the greatest importance and affected large sections of the country. In all 931 cases were disposed of during the period, and there still remains at issue before the commission 544 cases.

At the beginning of the period, July 1, 1909, there were on the docket 759 cases, so that by hard

work of its year the commission reduced the number of cases pending before it by more than 200.

The number of cases filed during the twelve months were 694. Twenty-two cases previously decided were reopened in that period.

In the month of June the number of cases decided was 172, in May 112

and in April 105. It will thus be seen that the commission is a hard-working body. Its work for the future, at least for a few years to come, will be even heavier than it has been in the past, because of the increased

powers given it under the act amending the Interstate commerce law which was passed at the recent session of congress.

The cost of the commission is now

nearly \$1,000,000 a year, its actual

expenditures in the last fiscal year

having been \$988,936. Its increased

work and powers will no doubt make

necessary heavier expenditures in

the future.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

Since the last World's Convention, three and one-half years ago, the total increase in membership in the United States alone has been 62,000.

In 47 great industrial centers each

with a population of over 20,000, saloons have been entirely abolished

and six states have passed laws prohibiting the sale of drinks.

Very few people understand the

true nature of prohibition. They say

prohibition does not prohibit. Who

ever said it would absolutely prohibi

t. But it is the only thing in the

world that has made the liquor traf

fic sit up and take notice.

The disgrace of any nation does

not consist in the fact that some

things calling themselves men sneak

out by the back alley and sell the

stuff in spite of all we can do, neith

er does it consist in the fact that

some men have abnormal appetites,

the disgrace that blackens civiliza

tion is that any so-called Christian

government should throw the purple

and ermine of the law over a bust

ness which dishonors womanhood,

degrades manhood and beggars chil

dhood. The wonder is that at this high

tide of Christian civilization any lo

yalty or country will for a money

consideration called revenue or li

cence fee legalize and permit the

sale of that which causes thirty-five

per cent of the insanity, forty per

cent of the idiocy, eighty per cent

of the poverty and ninety per cent

of the crime.

Woe unto them that justify the

wicked for a reward, and take away

the righteousness of the righteous

from him.

Referee in Bankruptcy.

R. H. MATTHEWS.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. dtf

Picnic at Fitzhugh on Tomorrow.

Prof. A. L. Fentem went to Vanoss today.

Best cleaning, pressing and dyeing. Pitt & Stubblefield. Phone 171. tf

Mr. J. C. Warren went to Francis yesterday.

Mr. R. E. Blanks returned yesterday from southwest Texas.

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Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

Judge Rainey went to Vanoss today.

John P. Crawford went to Vanoss.

For any kind of dray work call for Jim Bullard.

Mrs. J. E. Smith is visiting friends in Roff this week.

John Duran stopped in Ada between trains on his way to New Mexico.

A good four room house for rent. \$12.50. Weaver Agency.

Mr. Bert Smith has accepted a position with the Ramsey Drug Co.

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Mr. Oscar Sherman of Sulphur Springs, Tex., is visiting in Ada.

Mr. C. W. Shaw left this morning for a few days visit with home folks at Troy.

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Miss Mamye Matthews is spending a month visiting in Sulphur Springs, Tex.

Bruno Mayers, a cattlemen of Conway, was in the city on business today.

Miss Ora Chandler of Shawnee has accepted a position with the Pioneer Telephone Company.

Dr. J. G. Ellis a noted specialist and son L. C. Ellis, have now located in Ada. They came up yesterday.

J. W. Sweatt, the tailor, is now located in the rear of C. R. Drummond's Clothing store where he is better prepared for doing high grade cleaning and pressing. All work called for and delivered. Phone 333. 8tf

It is reported that Fitzhugh is preparing for a big day tomorrow in the way of a picnic under auspices of the W. O. W's.

Our spring and summer clothing must positively be closed out, for we must have room soon for fall goods. Great reductions are made in order to reduce the stock. If you need a suit of clothes call and see us. I. HARRIS.

Mr. C. B. Holland, who has been attending the Normal, went to Ravia this morning.

Mrs. W. M. Pruitt is now entertaining at her newly completed and up-to-date boarding house on Twelfth street. Evangelists Hendrick and Carter, the young Master Hendrick and Miss Gleaves, Mr. and Mrs. Rosenfield are also her guests.

Normal Notes.

Mr. Anderson of Oklahoma City is in town assisting in the organization of the reading circle work among the teachers in Pontotoc county.

Prof. Weir of the mathematics department of the Oklahoma City High school is visiting the normal, and will perhaps remain during next week.

Mr. G. A. Talant, representing Ginn & Co., was circulating among the teachers at the normal yesterday.

The requisition for equipment for the manual training department which will next year include basketry, board construction, wood turning and joinery, has just been made. Messrs. Perkins, Little and Miss Clarke expect to leave the latter part of this week for Chicago University where they will study during the latter half of the summer quarter.

A card from Prof. Sears states that he is now making discoveries among the ruins of ancient Rome. He has enjoyed the trip very much, and has met with no accident or inconvenience.

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CAPTURE TWO; CHARGED WITH HORSE STEALING

Ada Officers Make a Successful Haul This Morning.

Officers Jim Adair, Bob Nester and Bob Duncan brought in two men from near Tyrola this morning, who are charged with the theft of a span of horses and two mules belonging to a Mr. Ray of that place on or about July the 4th.

The animals were missed from the range at that time and the A. H. T. A. was notified. The antis were not long in locating the missing stock, and when traced back suspicion pointed to Oscar and Walter Gough as the first to sell them. It is alleged that there is strong evidence to that effect. The Gough brothers were batchin in a little house about four miles this side of Tyrola. This morning or rather late last night Deputy John Kitchen and W. B. Adair went out to make the arrest. Several men of the community volunteered to help the officers and the place where the two men live was surrounded, but upon investigation it was found no one was at home. However, the officers arrested and brought back one man, Farrell Sales of that neighborhood who was wanted for disturbing the peace.

Kitchen and W. B. Adair then returned to Ada. About eight o'clock this morning Jim Adair, Bob Nester and Duncan put out for Blackburn's gin, thinking they would catch the parties wanted, as the father of the Gough boys live there. The two men arrested had been there but was on their way back to their place of abode in a wagon. So the officers started in pursuit and succeeded in over taking and capturing them just as they were getting home. Though the men were armed, the capture was made without any show of resistance.

ALLEN PICNIC IS A SUCCESS

Carlton Weaver returned yesterday afternoon from Steedman and Allen where he had gone in the interest of Hon. W. H. Murray's candidacy for governor, making speeches at both places.

He reports that the picnic at Allen yesterday was a success in every respect, that lots of candidates for both state and county offices were present and presented their claims to the people. He states that a large crowd was present and that there were a large number of good attractions, good water, good music by the band and lots of excellent speeches, and that the people of Allen royally entertained every body, serving a most excellent and bountiful dinner.

SOUTH BOUND FRISCO IN THE DITCH

Yesterday the south bound Frisco passenger, No. 509, plunged into a ditch near Ravia. The track was torn up considerably some coaches were demolished, but fortunately no one was seriously injured. No. 510, north bound was detoured over the Rock Island from Randolph via Coalgate, thence by the way of the Katy to Ada. A good many Frisco passengers north came in yesterday afternoon on the "Dinky" that runs from Sulphur to Scullin. It is thought the track will be repaired and traffic will be resumed today, but nothing definite is learned at this writing.

ENJOYABLE AND SUCCESSFUL PICNIC AT VANOSS TODAY

The picnic at Vanoss today was well attended by people both near and far. The candidates were there in full force and presented their claims. There was served a good dinner, and the affair was enjoyed by all present.

New Industry for Ada.

Mr. D. A. Herring states that the Municipal Paving Company of Dallas, Tex., is installing a rock asphalt crusher up near the cement plant for the purpose of causing the rock asphalt to be shipped to Sherman, Dallas, and other points where they have contracts for paving with the Ada asphalt. The asphalt is to be furnished by D. A. Herring of this city.

UNCLE DICK FLOYD BROUGHT BACK TO ADA FROM MARLIN

Jeff Reed and A. H. Constant returned from Marlin, Tex., with Uncle Dick Floyd last night. While Mr. Floyd stood the trip fairly well the delay caused by the Frisco wreck yesterday was severe on him. He is resting fairly well this morning.

GOD'S LOVE FOR THE WANDERER

Near a Thousand People Hear Evangelist Hendrick Tell of God's Love for Those Who Have Wandered Afar.

To say a thousand people heard the evangelist Hendrick last evening would be no exaggeration. The big tent was filled to its capacity, though more seats had been placed than any previous night. The congregation, as well as the interest in the revival, is still growing. A large number of children had taken their place in the choir and added greatly to the song service. In short the singing was more general and was entered into with more spirit and life throughout the entire congregation.

In conducting the music, Rev. Carter, manifests as much executive ability as song, ability so to speak, and that is a great deal to be sure.

The evening being warm he asked permission to remove his coat this being given he removed his coat, and needless to say others followed his example, and the singing was done freely, easily and much more comfortably.

Rev. Hendrick in his preliminary remarks suggested that more dogs were crowding around the alter than he could well preach to—later asking that all members of the canine family be left at home saying humorously he has never been able to convert one of them anyway.

The minister's theme was "God's Love for the Wanderer," and his text was taken from Hosea 14:4, which reads as follows: I will heal their backsliding, I will love them freely; for mine anger is turned away from him.

Rev. Hendrick in his glowing, almost poetical style told of God's love for those who have grown lukewarm and indifferent, but, put to them this question: "What can God do for a man who will not confess or turn away from his sin, but let him alone?" In explanation of why so many christians have stormy periods in their experience, why they find it hard at times to be a Christian he said in effect that it is because they have wandered away from God. That anything will yield to persistent effort, that sin and Satan can be overcome if the fight is kept up was illustrated by the story of Cato, the Roman senator who closed every speech with, "And it is my opinion Carthage should be destroyed till he accomplished his purpose.

The reason we have not the power we ought to have is because we are not separated from the world. Find a Christian who hops and plays cards and you find a humbug. You can get in the wrong crowd and it is hard to say I am a Christian.

The minister deplored mixed marriages, drawing his conclusions from both sacred and profane history. He doesn't believe in a woman marrying a man to reform him; because in many instances both are lost. On the matter of keeping away from worldly things and in being careful as to the company one keeps, he enunciated a great truth that boys are more particular in choosing their associates than some girls sometimes. In this manner, boys would not go with girls who drank, smoke and used vile language, and yet girls often do. Speaking of the way women and girls could reform men of evil habits he suggested the practical method of keeping aloof from them, thereby discouraging instead of encouraging continuance in vice.

Rev. Hendrick pleads for the old time Sabbath and wants it kept in the old time way. Says he, "Dark is the day when the Sabbath has given to baseball and theater going. There never was a child of the living God who got into the far country who did not find he had wandered away from God at a fearful cost.

The evangelist commented on the back-sliders and compared him to a dead sea which is always receiving something but never giving out anything. Saying the reason many back-sliders is because they fail to study God's word. He emphasized that the Bible has wonderful power on the lives of men, and lamented the amount of ignorance of the Bible's teaching in the civilized world, among people who presume to be enlightened and educated. He exhorted the Christians to prayer and condemned the practice of some people who would go to a theater six nights out of the week and want a twenty minutes sermon on Sunday.

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Speaking Dates.

John P. Crawford, candidate for representative, Robt. Wimbish, candidate for county attorney, and R. M. Roddy candidate for state senator, will address the voters of Pontotoc county at the following times and places—Stonewall, Tuesday night, July 26th. Lula, Wednesday night, July 27th. Ahlso, Thursday night, July 28th. Lovelady, Saturday night, July 30th. Ada, August 1st.

Every one is invited to attend these speakings and hear something interesting.

Will Camp a Week at Sulphur.

A party consisting of Mrs. W. M. Wilson and two children, Mrs. G. T. Howerton and daughter, Olivia, Mrs. J. O. Wheeler and Miss Venus Vaughan, left this morning for a week's outing at the Bromide Springs, Sulphur. Mrs. W. M. Watkins and daughter, Miss Roberta, of Konawa, are expected to join them tomorrow.

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BOY KILLS CHUM IN GUN PLAY

Was Practicing for Literary Entertainment—Exonerated by Dead Boy's Parents.

Muskogee, Okla., July 14.—While practicing for a literary entertainment in a play requiring a gun play, Jacob Winkler was shot and instantly killed at Stone Bluff near here last night by his chum, Everett Olden.

Olden was placed under arrest, but Winkler's family have exonerated him from all blame.

OVERMAN IS CHAIRMAN OF CAROLINA CONVENTION

Charlotte, N. C., July 14.—The North Carolina democratic state convention was called to order here at noon Thursday by A. H. Eller, chairman of the state committee, who introduced United States Senator Lee S. Overman as temporary chairman. Chief interest in the convention centers in the nomination for associate justice of the supreme court and of a corporation commissioner.

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GIRL RECEIVES

JURY'S VERDICT

Judge Has to Leave and Instructs His Stenographer to Receive Verdict of a Jury.

Oklahoma City, Ok., July 14.—A fair-haired and pretty girl, a stenographer in the office of the court, presided over county court for ten minutes today in the absence of the Judge, receiving the verdict of the jury in an important case and discharging that body after the verdict had been returned. She is Miss Inez Mitchell.

Judge Sam Hooker had to catch a train shortly after the conclusion of the trial and instructed the young woman to remain in charge of the court.

"Is this your verdict?" she asked of the jury when the verdict had been read.

"It is," they all said with one accord.

"Very well. Your are now discharged until tomorrow."

"Thank you, Judge," said each of the jurors.

HIDES MONEY IN HIS LEG.

Man Puts Roll in His Spike and Deceives Thugs.

Muskogee, Okla., July 15.—Jesse Thompson of Vinita is \$372 richer because thugs could not discover his roll, which he had secreted in a cavity in his wooden leg. Thompson was found in a joint in Muskogee by the police. Evidently he had been drugged by some thugs who intended to rob him. He was in a stupor when the police found him where the thugs had left him.

SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY AT SPOKANE

Spokane, Wash., July 14.—Work is progressing rapidly in Spokane on what experts say will be the longest span of concrete bridge in the world. The central arch of the Monroe street bridge in the heart of the city has a span of 281 feet, the highest point being 115 feet above the foot of the falls. The total length of the structure is between 1,100 and 1,200 feet. The distinction of the largest structure of the kind at present is the concrete bridge over the Wissahickon river in Philadelphia. It has a span of 233 feet. The Rocky river bridge now under construction in Cleveland will have a clear span of 280 feet. A span of 285 feet has been adopted to carry the New York barge canal over a gorge near Medina, N. Y. With the exception of the Hudson memorial bridge span of 710 feet in New York City, the longest single span yet proposed is that of a bridge now under construction at Rome, Italy. It will cross the Tiber river with a span of 328 feet.

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ANANIAS IN FOURTH PLACE

Famous Prevaricator Not Even "Placed" in the Company of Theatrical Romancers.

Henry E. Dixey listened at the Lamb's club the other night to the phenomenal adventures of three matinee idols. Then he said to the waiter in a loud voice that caused the romance weavers to start:

"Walter, fetch me a Bible."

"If there is one free, sir," said the waiter. And he hurried off and soon returned with a Bible. "This one, sir, happened to be not in use."

"Walter," said Mr. Dixey, "turn to the Acts of the Apostles, such and such a chapter, such and such a verse. Get it?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then read."

The waiter read, and the matinee idols, ceasing their fantastic and improbable tales of love, listened intently. What they heard was the familiar story of Ananias and Sapphira. When the waiter came to the words, 'And Ananias went forth,' Mr. Dixey stopped him.

"Stop there," he said. "And now, tell me, why did Ananias go forth?"

"There was no answer. Neither the waiter nor the handsome young actors could reply. Then Mr. Dixey said:

"I'll tell you why Ananias went forth. It was because Brown, Jones and Robinson (the three matinee idols) went first, second and third."—New York Times.

MORE ABOUT MRS. NEWLYWED

Eugene Zimmerman the Latest to Tell of the Doings of That Much Abused Lady.

Eugene Zimmerman, the well-known financier, whose daughter is so happily married to the Duke of Manchester, said in a recent interview in New York:

"The wedding season is now at hand and a good receipt for a happy marriage is for the bride to know all her duties and to fulfill them conscientiously, the husband, of course, doing the same."

"Too many young couples are as ignorant of their matrimonial responsibilities as a young Cincinnati bride was of housework."

"This bride's husband, the servants being off for the day, hustled into the kitchen and said impatiently:

"You know, we'll be late for the theater if you don't hurry dinner."

"Well," sighed the bride, "I can't tell what's the matter, but these coffee grinds simply won't boil soft, and as for the eggs, they've been boiling at least two hours, and they're still as hard as ever."

"But the dinner was concluded at last, and then the young husband declared he couldn't find his silk hat."

"Oh," exclaimed his wife, "you said it needed ironing, you know, so I sent it this morning to the laundry with the wash."

Farmed Lands.

An exhaustive census investigation of farm interests throughout the United States showed that in the last ten years the total number of farms has increased 18 per cent. In the older states, from Ohio eastward, there has been going on for 20 years a tendency toward the amalgamation of farms distant from market into larger holdings. There are now almost three times as many farms as in 1870, and an unprecedented increase in the value of farm lands and live stock is the even more momentous result revealed by this inquiry. The land in farms, with their buildings, improvements and live stock, is today almost \$30,000,000,000, a gain of 44 per cent. in ten years. Present values are 2 1/2 times the farm values of 30 years ago. In the north central states the increase in the value of farms is 43 per cent.; in the south central states, 58 per cent.; in the north Atlantic, 18 per cent., and in the south Atlantic, 34 per cent.

Use of Magnets in Flour Mills.

Explosions are often caused in flour mills and breweries by nails or other iron particles that find their way in the grain and which when they strike the steel rolls of the mills produce sparks and ignite the finely pulverized material about them.

Recently a large malting concern that has been troubled by many such explosions installed a set of electromagnets over which the grain is passed before being prepared for shipment to the breweries. All iron particles in the grain are picked up by the magnets and 800 to 1,000 bushels of grain are cleaned an hour. When the magnets have collected a large amount of metal they are swung to one side, de-energized and swept clean of any particles adhering to them by residual magnetism. Since the installation of these magnets there have been no explosions in the mills.—Scientific American.

She Got the Money.

Comtesse de Martel, the well-known novelist, who writes under the name of "Gyp," has a pretty wit. She was on one occasion assisting at a charity bazaar in Paris, to which came Baron Rothschild as a visitor. The writer immediately pressed him to buy something. "What am I to buy?" said the wealthy nobleman. "You have nothing I want. Stay, I have an idea. Sell me your autograph. I should like that. Without delay the lady took a sheet of note paper and wrote: 'Received from Baron Rothschild the sum of one thousand francs for charity—Gyp.' The baron read, handed over the money willingly, and departed well pleased with the comtesse's ingenuity."

His Mysterious Malady

Bobby sat up and threw off the afghan impatiently. "I feel fine now," he said. "I guess I'll go out for awhile."

His father shook his head. "Hold on a minute," he commanded. "Where are all those perfectly terrible sensations you had yesterday when you stayed home from school?"

"Oh, well, that was a whole day and a night ago," protested Bobby. "A feller could get well of 'most anything in that time."

"Especially as this is Saturday afternoon," said his father, thoughtfully. "You considered yourself a pretty sick boy yesterday."

"I was," said Bobby. "Gee, I felt something fierce! I never felt worse in my life."

"Then don't you think you ought to be very careful today?"

"If it was going to be anything it would have gone and done it by now," said Bobby. "Besides, I feel swell. I wouldn't 'a' laid down here, only mamma said I had to. I wish I knew what did it."

"What did you do on Thursday that was particularly festive?"

"Well, it was like this," Bobby began. "Nellie Foster she made fudge, and, of course, I got some of it. I was swell, all right, only Billy didn't get a big piece and he whispered that there was too much choc'lut in it. I didn't say a word, but teacher she heard somebody whisper and she said for me to go out of the room and wait downstairs for her."

"I said I didn't whisper, and she said: 'What makes you always take that attitude, Robert?'

"I said I wasn't taking any attitude—all I had was fudge."

"Then she got mad and sent me home, because she said I was impudent."

"Out in the yard I saw Jimmy. His brother's got scarlet fever and he can't come to school, but he waits for us fellers outside. He had an apple and he gave it to me so I'd tell him something Susie Herrick when she was in my room at school, but Jimmy likes her."

"Was it a good apple?"

"No," said Bobby. "But I wouldn't let on that I was stung, so I ate it."

"Did you go home then?"

"Sure not," acknowledged Bobby. "There wasn't any hurry. Me and Jimmy went over to the park and I got some peanuts for the squirrels. We couldn't find any squirrels, so we ate the peanuts ourselves. I'm going to plant peanuts and see how they grow. Billy he planted some last year and we watched for 'em to come up and then 'long about July he remembered they were cooked."

"I thought Billy lived in a flat."

"He does, but he borrowed our yard to plant the peanuts. You know that big white house on the corner of aunt Mary's street?"

"Yes."

"Well, who do you suppose is going to live there? Just Mamie Kelly!" said Bobby, triumphantly. "I 'most fell over when she told me. Gee, she'll be more concealed than ever when she's got three lilac bushes and a woodshed in her yard."

"I thought it was Mamie."

"She felt awful bad about it; she was afraid I'd be mad, specially because they was nickel ones, but I didn't care much. Mamie Kelly gave me two big pickles, but the cones was gone by that time, so she didn't get any."

"But you ate the pickles?"

"Yep, I did," acknowledged Bobby, sheepishly. "But I said 'Thanks' just as Sam came along, and she gave him one, too. Then, of course, Sam he gave us some choc'lut creams. Say, there's a place he knows about where you can get lots of 'em for ten cents. Gee, but they're swell!"

"Were they the best things you had that day?"

"I should say not!" cried Bobby, with enthusiasm. "Why, I had three pieces of strawberry shortcake for dinner."

"Well, perhaps it was the shortcake that saved your life."

"Mamma thinks it was the medicine," said Bobby. "I certainly feel fine now. If I stay here I'll just get weaker and weaker till I can't get up, so I'd like to go outdoors. There's a ball game over in the big lot and I'm to pitch."

"Are you sure you ought to go?"

"Oh, yes. I can't see how it helps any to keep a feller in bed when he gets sick like that without any reason. Anyhow, there's Billy whistling for me."

"All right," laughed his father. "Go ahead, but be careful not to eat any trash today."

Bobby paused a moment at the door. "Honest, papa," he said, seriously. "I'm awful careful what I eat, and I don't like trash. Honest, I don't."

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